

GENERAL DIRECTORY.

SOCIETIES, ETC.

TITUSVILLE BOARD OF TRADE.—M. S. Jones, president; J. M. Dixon, treasurer; J. G. Bast, secretary. Meets second Wednesday night in each month at their rooms.

F. & A. M.—Indian River lodge, No. 90, holds its meetings the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at the court house. A. A. Stewart, W. M.; F. A. Morgan, Sec'y.

CHURCHES.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. B. F. Brown, Rector. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:00 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. John A. Hughes, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching at Titusville second Sunday in each month, morning and evening. Prayer meetings every Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Indianola on the fourth Sunday; LaGrange on the first Sunday. E. N. BELL, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Mickler, Pastor. Services first and third Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school each Sunday at 10 a. m.; Epworth league every Sunday at 3:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Ladies' Aid society meets each Wednesday at 3:00 p. m. Everybody welcome.

TOWN DIRECTORY.

TOWN OFFICERS.—A. D. Penney, mayor; M. S. Jones Jr., marshal and tax collector; C. S. Schuyler, clerk and treasurer; John Henry, assessor; D. L. Gaudin, F. A. Losley, J. M. Dixon, W. E. Knox, Jno. R. Walker, councilmen. The council meets first Tuesday in each month.

COUNTY DIRECTORY.

COUNTY OFFICERS.—D. L. Gaudin, Titusville, county judge; M. Goldsmith, Titusville, prosecuting attorney; A. A. Stewart, Titusville, clerk circuit court; J. F. Wooten, Cocoa, tax assessor; E. W. Hall, Sharpes, tax collector; John Henry, Titusville, treasurer; J. H. Sams, Courtenay, superintendent public instruction; J. O. Fries, Titusville, county surveyor; J. P. Brown, Titusville, sheriff; T. J. Cockshutt, LaGrange, registration officer.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—J. R. Walker, Titusville, chairman; W. H. Sharpe, Sharpes; Jos. Mendel, LaGrange; Jno. Houston, Eau Gallie; J. N. Waller, Ankona. Regular sessions are held first Tuesday in each month.

COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD.—J. M. Dixon, Titusville; S. F. Gibbs, Melbourne; R. E. Mims, Bonaventure.

THE TIBURON ISLANDERS.

The Seri People Never Stop Growing Until Death.

Special Correspondence of The Florida Star.

INFERNILLO, Mexico, July 24.—Men and women gigantic in stature, savage and defiant toward the civilized world, who tear and eat the flesh of living animals—such are the inhabitants of the Isle del Tiburon, in the gulf of California. These savages roam at will over the whole island, which lies but 10 or 15 miles from the easterly shore of the gulf. The people are known as the Seri Indians. Tales of their untamable habits and cannibalistic tendencies are freely circulated among the gulf shore Mexicans, who have consequently become imbued with a wholesome fear of the island. They never fail to cross themselves and mumble hasty "Ave Marias" while traversing the neighboring waters, giving a wide berth to the northern end of Tiburon, where the natives have established a lookout. Scouts, however, have penetrated into the most remote of the Seri's fastnesses, peering into huts and caves with impunity and risking their lives in a hundred ways for the purpose of satisfying their awakened curiosity. Professor W. J. McGee of the bureau of ethnology in Washington, with two companions, has returned from a trip in the interior of Tiburon. The members of the exploring party are very enthusiastic in the account of their various experiences.

Professor McGee, when asked for a narrative of his observations, said: "One of the most remarkable things about the Seri is that they seem to keep on growing all their lives—certainly an extraordinary phenomenon from a physiological viewpoint.

"There are no fat people among the Seri, and in respect to physical vigor they are marvelous. Of erect yet easy carriage, great breadth and depth of chest, very slender of limb, but possessing unusually large feet and hands, they exhibit a bodily activity that can hardly be equaled.

"A strange characteristic of these savages is that they have no knife sense, as one might term it. In other words, they never think of using a cutting tool under any circumstances. When an animal is captured, they do not kill it and cut it in pieces, but prefer to tear it to fragments with their hands and teeth, breaking the larger bones at times with a stone. I have known them to adopt this method with a horse, throwing the brute in such a manner as to break his neck, then settling upon the carcass literally with tooth and nail.

"Often times a cow's leg will furnish a family with food for days. When anybody happens to be hungry, he takes a chew at it, tearing off the flesh just as any wild animal would do.

"The Seri have always kept themselves aloof from other tribes. They have a hereditary horror of aliens. According to their ideas, the shedding of alien blood is the most virtuous of ac-

tions, while they consider the failure to avenge with death even the slightest of injuries one of the blackest of crimes. Isolated to an extent unparalleled, they are hopeless wanderers, roving from place to place and sleeping wherever exhaustion overtakes them. Carrying their entire stock of personal belongings with them, as well as food and water, they are perpetual fugitives.

"The Seri are reputed cannibals. They never cook their food apparently, although I have known them to parboil the hoof of a horse after the leg had been wrenched off at the hock until it



SERI OBSERVATORY.

was sufficiently softened to be knocked loose with a stone; then half a dozen matrons and maidens gathered about to gnaw the gelatinous tissue investing the 'coffin bone.'

"Mechanical agencies are practically unknown to the Seri. They possess but a single tool and apply it to a wide variety of purposes. It is merely a wave worn pebble, with which they crush bones, sever tendons, grind seeds, rub face paint and break sticks for house poles or mesquite roots for harpoons, both being afterward finished by firing. The pebble is discarded when sharp edges are produced by use or fracture. Their houses are but temporary shelters and not dwellings in any sense of the word. Sometimes they are of stones piled high and roofed with a large turtle shell.

"When they surround and capture horses or kine, they never think of mounting the beasts even when pursued. Immediately they knock out the brains and break the necks of the animals, perchance to tear the writhing body into quarters and flee for their lives with the reeking flesh, still quivering, on their heads and brawny shoulders." FREDERICK R. TOOMBS.

Mrs. Jas. Forest, of Chippewa Falls, Ill., writes: I had a running sore on my leg for seven years, and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it. Banner Salve is the most healing medicine in the world. Wilson & Son.

Mr. Fred Sterry, the energetic manager of Mr. H. M. Flagler's palatial hotels at Palm Beach, Fla.; and also of the Homestead Hotel, Virginia Hot Springs, who has been enjoying a visit to England and France, will probably return to Hot Springs about the end of this month.

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The New York Republican state convention will assemble at Saratoga Springs during the first week in September, when the successor to Governor Roosevelt will be nominated.

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Half rates to Detroit, Mich., Aug. 24th, 25th and 26th, account biennial conclave Knights of Pythias, tickets will be sold via Southern railway at one fare for the round trip on dates above mentioned, final limit Sept. 5th. Twelve hours quicker than any other line, two daily trains through to Cincinnati; through sleepers twice a day. This route has been selected by Florida delegation of Knights of Pythias.

Half rates to Chicago, Ill., Aug. 24th and 25th, account national encampment G. A. R., tickets will be sold via Southern railway at one fare for round trip, final limit Sept. 3rd. Two daily trains with through sleepers to Cincinnati, making quickest time.

Half rates to Richmond, Va., Sept. 15th, 16th and 17th, account Independent Order Odd Fellows, tickets will be sold via Southern railway at one fare for the round trip, final limit Sept. 25th. Two daily trains, dining cars, sleepers.

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NOTICE.

Changes Made in the School Board Districts.

The county school board districts are hereby changed in accordance with chapter 4193, session laws of 1893.

School board district No. 1 shall be formed of and include election districts— No. 1, LaGrange—No. voters registered... 63 No. 2, Titusville—No. voters registered... 178 No. 3, City Point—No. voters registered... 32 No. 13, Georgiana—No. voters registered... 30 No. 14, Merritt—No. voters registered... 55 No. 15, Canaveral—No. voters registered... 31 No. 16, Haulover—No. voters registered... 17

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School board district No. 2 of election districts—

No. 4, Rockledge—No. voters registered... 140 No. 5, Eau Gallie—No. voters registered... 65 No. 6, Melbourne—No. voters registered... 49 No. 7, Malabar—No. voters registered... 21 No. 8, Sebastian—No. voters registered... 44 No. 12, Narrows—No. voters registered... 22 No. 19, Micco—No. voters registered... 12 No. 20, Banyan—No. voters registered... 42

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School board district No. 3 of election districts—

No. 9, St. Lucie—registered voters... 141 No. 10, Eden—registered voters... 118 No. 11, Fort Drum—registered voters... 53 No. 18, Ankona—registered voters... 29 No. 21, White City—registered voters... 35 No. 22, Woodley—registered voters... 52

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By order of the board of public instruction, S. F. GIBBS, Chairman. JNO. H. SAMS, Co. Supt. Pub. Ins. Titusville, Fla., July 13th, 1900.

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It will pay you to wait for our stock, as it is mostly on 5 year old stock, and by November will be from 5 to 7 feet tall, and will calber from 2 to 1 inch in diameter; and all our grafted trees will be fully branched, and more than equal to any two year bud in the state.

Our grafts were all cut from bearing trees, and came out full of fruit first growth this spring, and we have saved several specimens of fruit for exhibition to our visiting customers.

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Commissioner and Administrator's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued by the judge of the circuit court of Brevard Co., Florida, we will sell at public auction in front of the court house door at Titusville, Florida, during the legal hours upon the first Monday in August, A. D. 1900, for the purpose of paying the debts of John Hetherington, deceased, to the highest and best bidder for cash all the following land belonging to the said estate of John Hetherington, deceased and lying in Brevard county, Florida, to-wit: Commencing at a place sixty feet south of the North Fort Capron ditch on the bank of Indian river, thence run in a westerly direction parallel with the ditches 840 feet, thence north 210 feet, thence easterly parallel with the above mentioned ditches to Indian river, thence along said river in a southerly direction to the place of beginning, in section 28, township 34, south range 40 east, containing four acres with all riparian rights.

M. S. JONES, JR., Commissioner, A. C. DITTMAR, As Administrator of the Estate of John Hetherington. Titusville, Fla., June 29, 1900.



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